



# **Paving the Way for EHV's** *(Environmental Hybrid Vehicles)*

*Hybrid Electric Vehicles:  
Here and Now TOPTEC  
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# Lessons From the Past: Transportation Revolutions Can Occur *Rapidly*



# What Made Such Rapid Change Possible?

**Leapfrog Technology**

**Value to the Consumer**

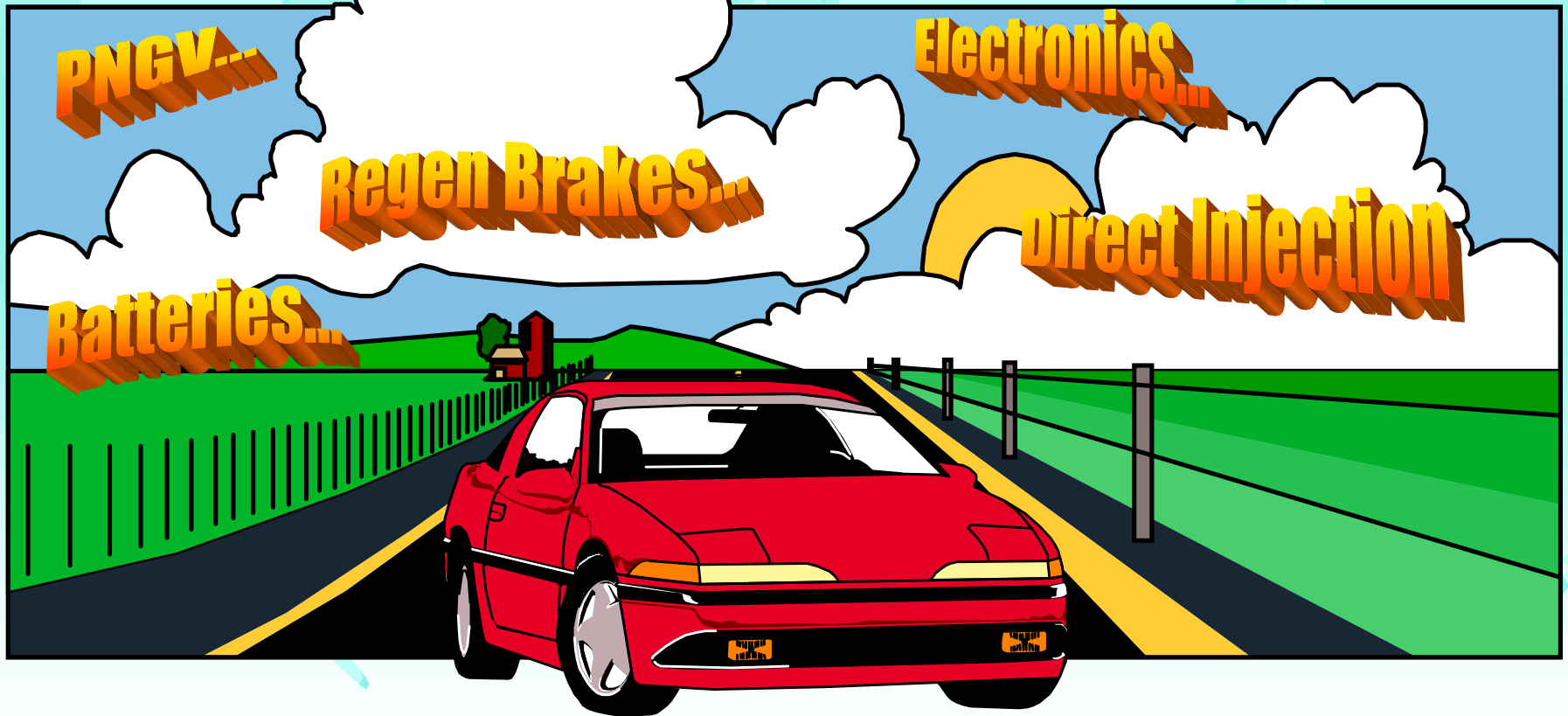
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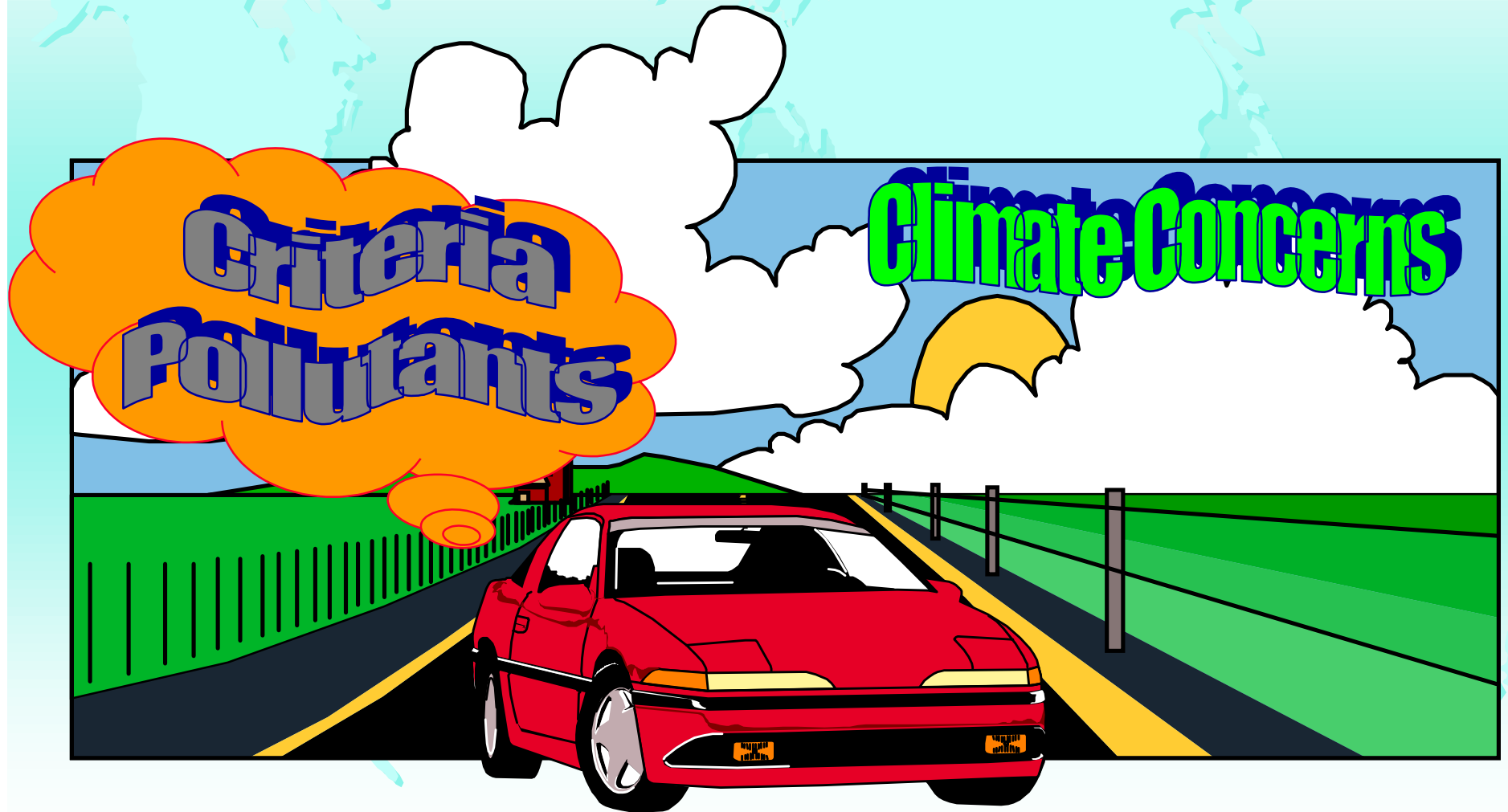
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# Hybrids: The Next Transportation (R)Evolution?



# Why *Environmental* Hybrids?



# Vehicles Still Contribute to Unhealthy Air for Millions

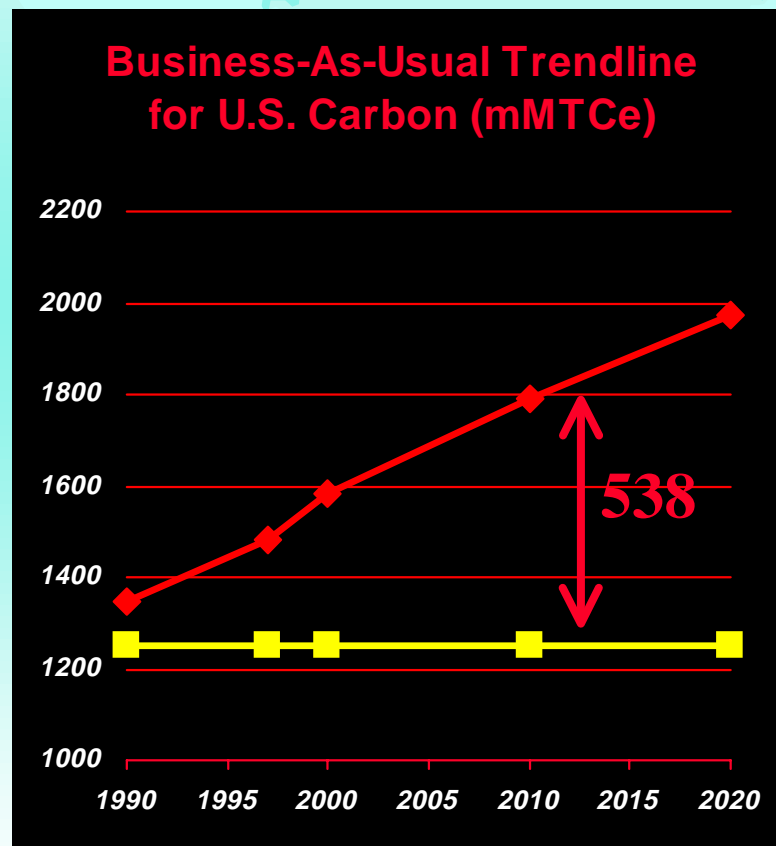
Pollutant	1991 Nonattain- ment Areas	1998 Nonattain- ment Areas	1998 Population
<i>CO</i>	42	20	34M
<i>O<sub>3</sub></i>	100	38	100M
<i>PM<sub>10</sub></i>	70	77	30M

Source: National Air Quality and Emissions Trends Report (EPA/Dec. 1998)

# Criteria Emission Standards Will Continue to Tighten

- New National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS)
- National Low Emission Vehicle Program (NLEV)
- Tier 2 just around the bend
- CARB LEV II
- Importance of in-use evaporative emissions

# Climate: What is the “Seven Percent” Solution?



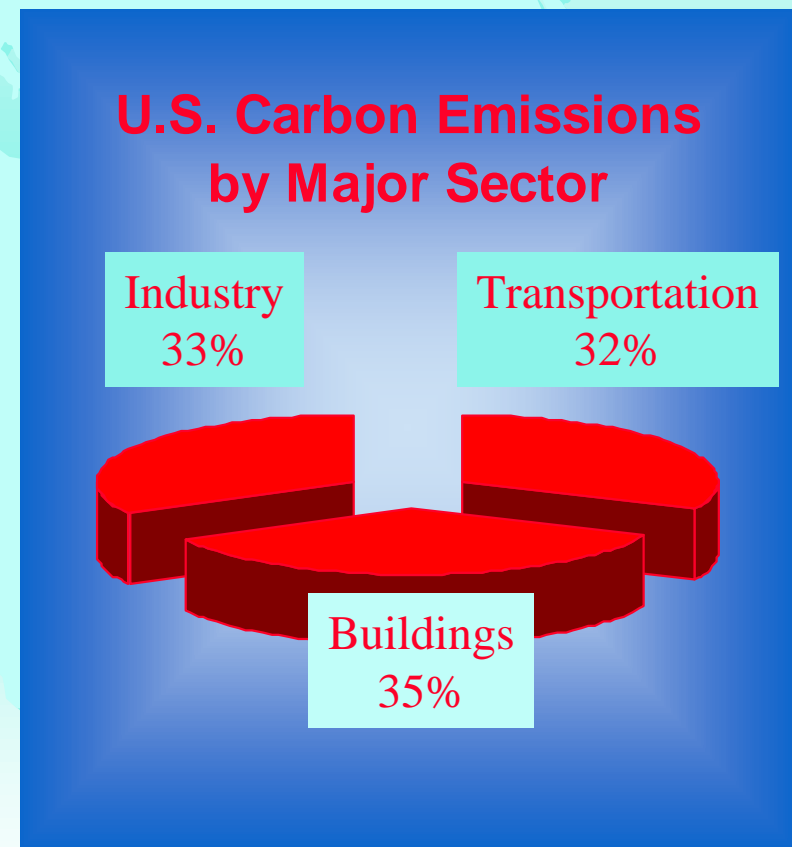
- Kyoto target:  
*7% below 1990 levels by 2008-2012*
- Implied reduction from 2010 business-as-usual-case:  
*538 mMTCe (30%)*

*based on DOE projections*



# Transportation is 1/3 of the U.S. Greenhouse Pie

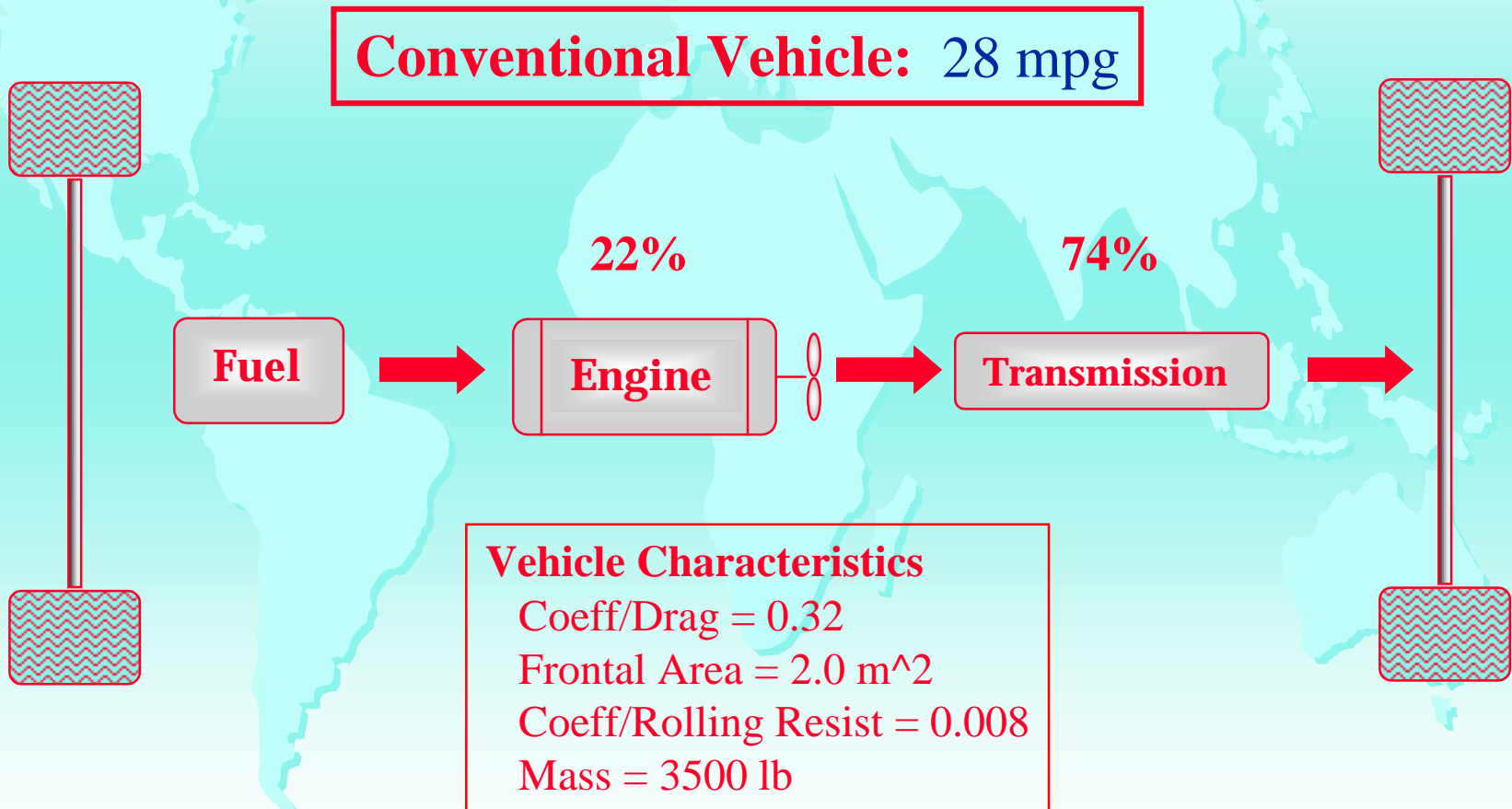
- Fastest growing, most complex sector
- More trucks, VMT growth, flat new vehicle fuel economy all drive the trend



# Transportation MUST Contribute *At Least Its ‘Fair Share’*

- *Magnitude:* where else to make up the 1/3 share?
- *Equity:* transportation energy consumers should share the responsibility
- *Politics:* all sectors face political obstacles; political risks are high if transportation is not included

# Inefficiencies Drag Down Conventional Vehicle MPG



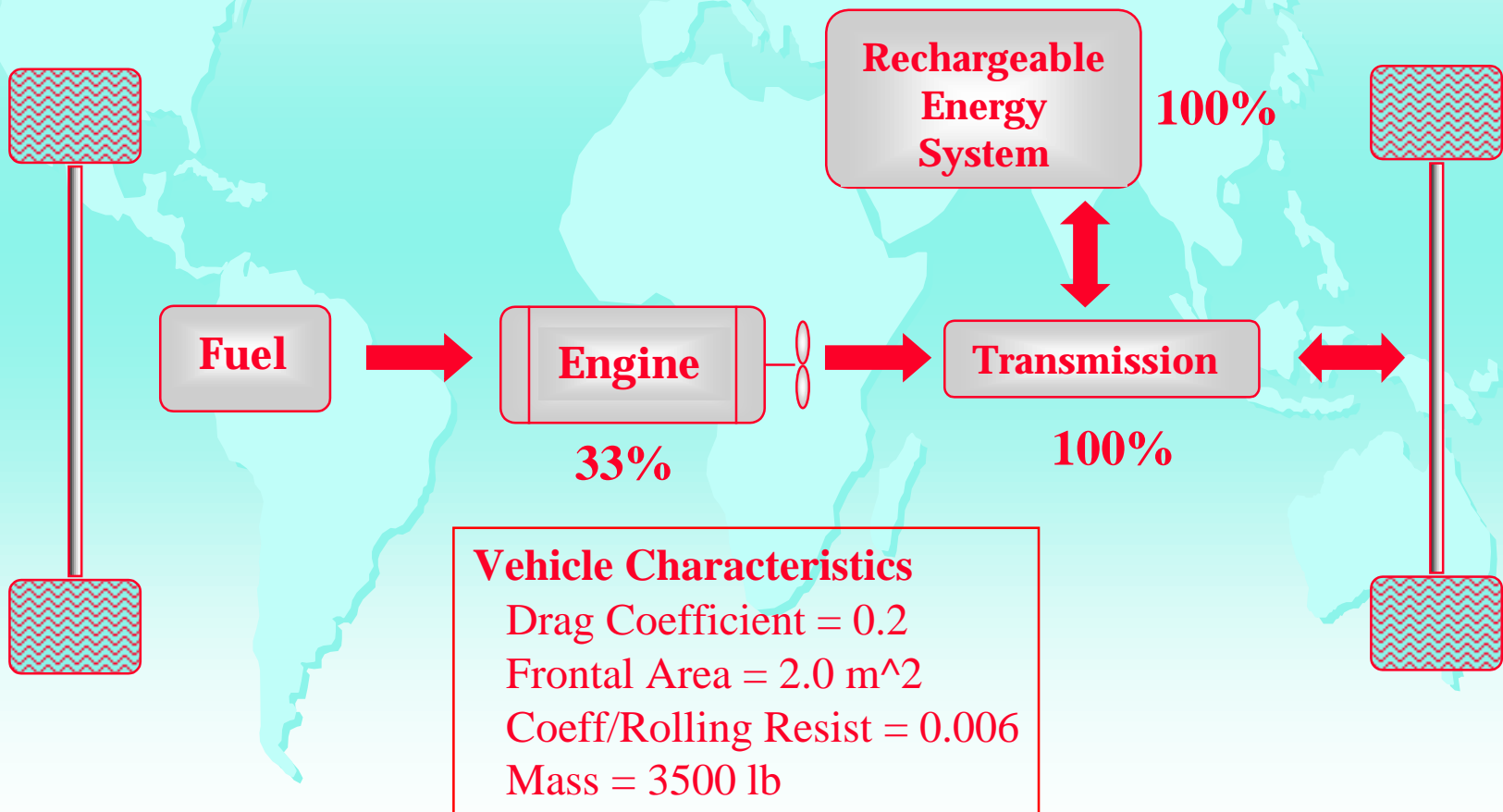
# Tracking the Size and Performance

## “Arms Race” (1988 - 1998)

Vehicle Attribute	Cars	Light Trucks	Combined
<i>Fuel Economy</i>	unchanged	-3%	-6%
<i>Engine HP</i>	+38%	+35%	+41%
<i>0 – 60 Time</i>	-17%	-13%	-16%
<i>Weight</i>	+9%	+12%	+15%

# The Fuel Efficiency *Potential* is There for Hybrids

“Perfect” Hybrid with High Efficiency Engine: 141 mpg



# How Will Manufacturers Apply Hybrid Technology?

- Robust regenerative braking systems?
- Combustion engine downsizing?
- Even more performance enhancements?
- Optimized for fuel economy and emissions?

# The Federal Government's Role

**Enabling Policy**  
(e.g., **Vehicle**  
**Tax Credit**)

**R&D Partnerships**  
(e.g., **PNGV**)

**Regulatory Policy**  
(e.g., **Tier 2**)



**Environmental**  
**Hybrid Vehicles (EHVs)**

# Partnership for a New Generation of Vehicles

- Historic R&D partnership between domestic Big 3 and Federal Government
- Primary Goals:
  - Dramatically improve light-duty fuel efficiency without sacrificing emissions or utility
  - Enhance long-term productivity and competitiveness of U.S. domestic auto industry in a global economy
- \$250M Federal annual budget





# PNGV's Vision of the Car of the Future

- 80 miles per gallon
- Meets Tier 2 Federal emissions standards
- Meets all Federal safety standards
- Size, performance, cost of ownership comparable to today's midsize family sedans
- Leapfrog technology

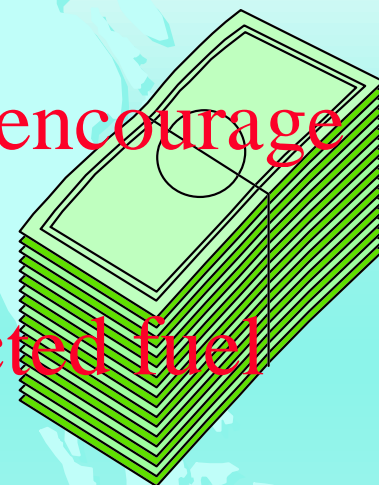


# Hybrids Are Central to PNGV

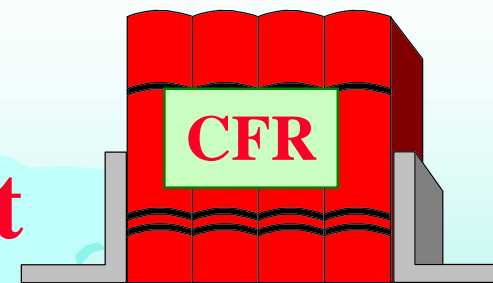
- Hybrid is the PNGV “powertrain of choice”
- Rechargeable power source
  - moderates fluctuations in power demand on primary power plant
  - allows primary power plant to be optimized for efficiency and emissions
  - allows recovery of braking energy
- ICE & hybrid must work as a system

# President's EV/Hybrid Vehicle Tax Credit

- Proposed by President Clinton to encourage hybrid and EV technologies
- Graduated credits based on projected fuel efficiency improvements
- Basis for constructive interaction on best approach and ultimate action by Congress
- Expect an active process this year

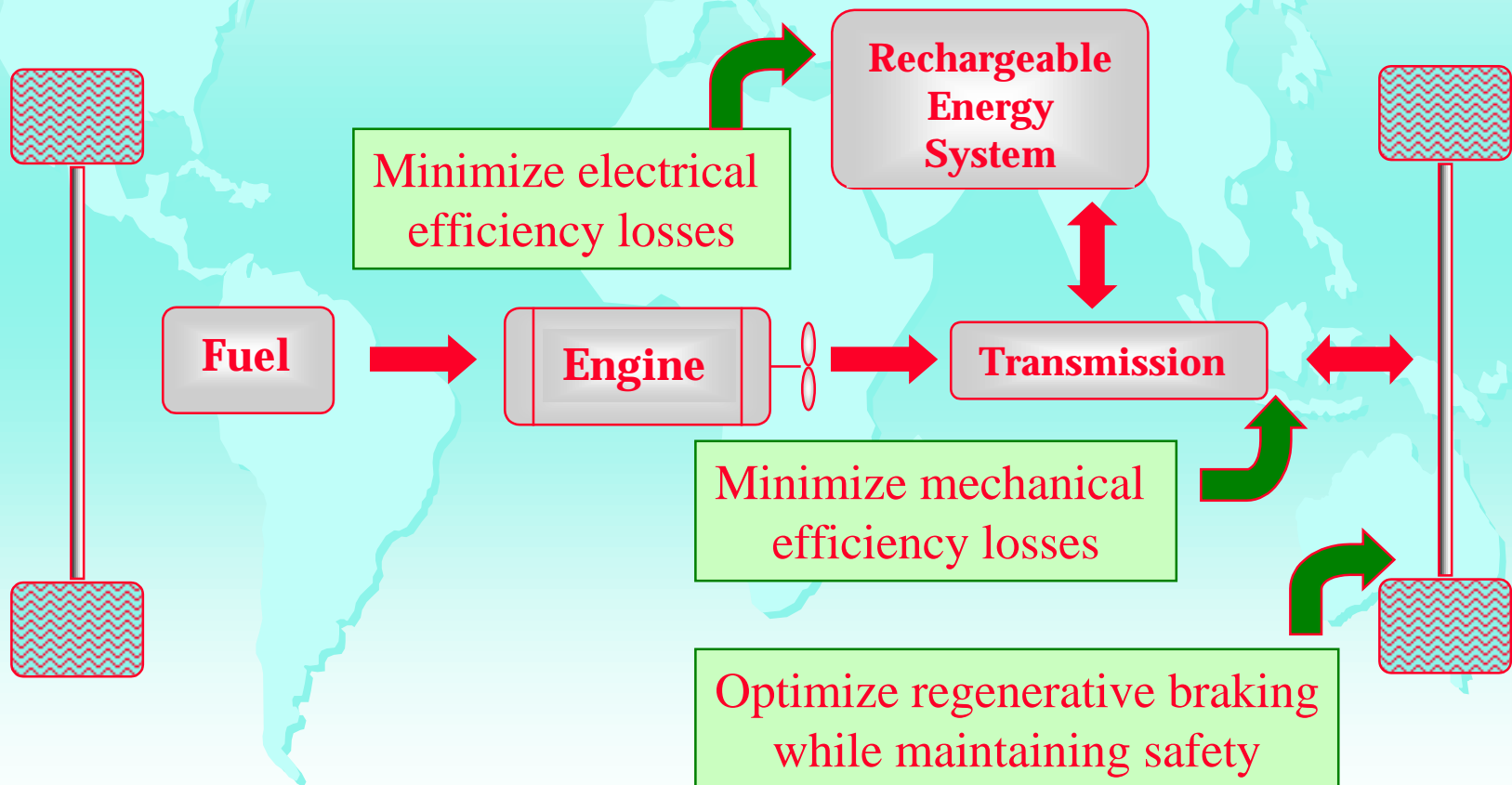


# Tier 2 Proposal: Balanced Approach, Stakeholder Input



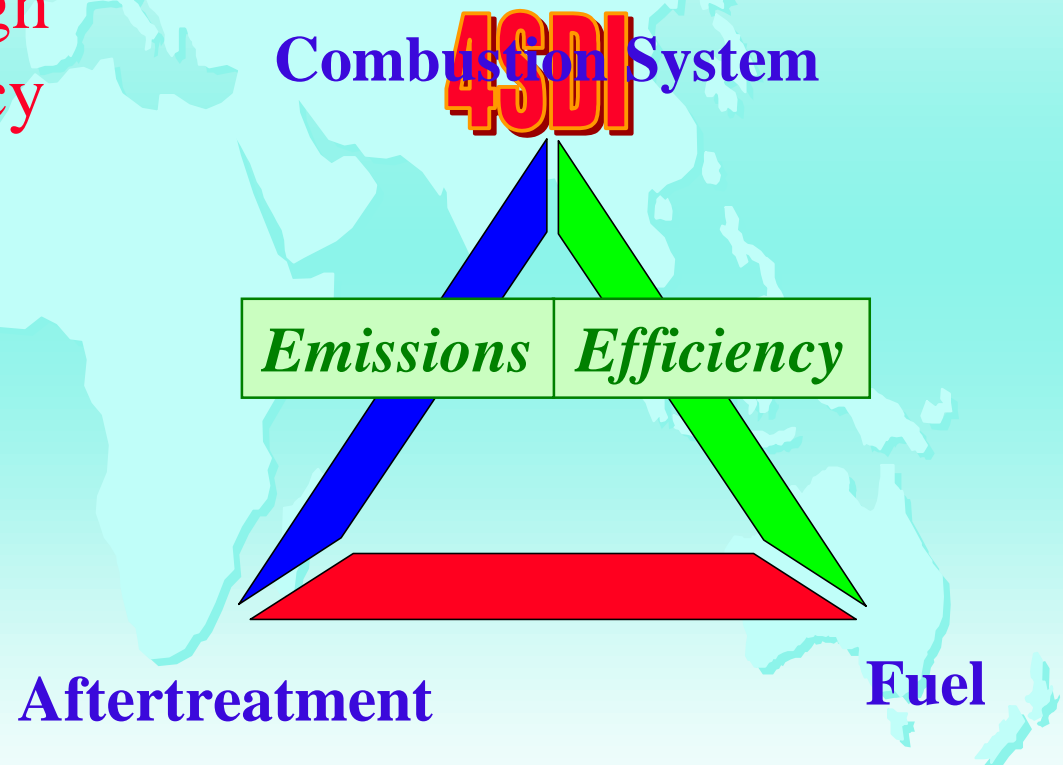
- All cars & light trucks (SUVs, minivans, pickups)
- Equal treatment of cars/light trucks, gas/diesel
- Phases in MY2004 - MY2009
- Vehicles certify into 7 emission bins defined by NO<sub>x</sub>, NMOC, CO, PM, HCHO standards
- Corporate average NO<sub>x</sub> standards
- NO<sub>x</sub> banking/trading
- Gasoline sulfur control; parallel diesel-S ANPRM

# Hybrid Powertrain: Challenges



# Hybrid Combustion: 4SDI is the Engine of Choice

- Best solution for high conversion efficiency
- Integrated systems with fuel and aftertreatment still necessary to reach efficiency and emissions goals



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## CIDI Challenges

- Achieving  $\text{NO}_x < 0.2 \text{ g/mi}$ ,  $< 0.07 \text{ g/mi}$
- Achieving  $\text{PM} < 0.04 \text{ g/mi}$ ,  $< 0.01 \text{ g/mi}$
- Weight
- Cost
- Carbon reductions *only if efficiency not traded for other attributes*

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## GDI Challenges

- Emission targets still challenging, but perhaps less than CIDI
- High efficiency not as obvious as CIDI, but probably still there
- Carbon reductions *only if efficiency not traded for other attributes*



# *Environmental Hybrid Vehicles: Here and Now?*



*Toyota Prius*



*DaimlerChrysler*



*LSR Hybrid*



**GM** General Motors

*people  
in motion*

# Strategic Drivers for Change

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*We can achieve high efficiency in a hybrid  
system with low NO<sub>x</sub> and low PM --  
an Environmental Hybrid -- an EHV*

